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PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 2226

Page 1, line 2, remove "subsection 2 of"

Page 1, line 20, replace "Subsection 2 of section" with "Section"

Page 1, replace lines 22 through 24 with:

"15-62.2-02. State board of higher education - Powers and duties. The state board of higher education shall:

1. Administer the North Dakota student financial assistance program and the North Dakota scholars program and adopt functional rules regarding the eligibility and selection of grant and scholarship recipients.
2. Determine the amount of individual grants, ~~but which may not to exceed one~~ two thousand dollars per recipient per academic year, under the North Dakota student financial assistance program.
3. ~~Adopt for~~ For the North Dakota student financial assistance program, adopt criteria for substantial need, based upon the ability of the parents or guardian to contribute toward the applicant's educational expenses. In determining educational expenses for an applicant attending a four-year institution of higher education other than an institution under the control of the state board of higher education, the board shall use the lesser of:
 - a. The statewide average tuition charged that year at four-year institutions of higher education under the control of the state board of higher education; or
 - b. The actual tuition charged that year by the four-year institution in which the applicant is enrolled.
4. Establish the appropriate procedures for fiscal control, fund accounting, and necessary reports.
5. Apply for, receive, expend, and administer granted moneys from federal or private sources."

Renumber accordingly